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S. H. ANDERSON.
Decatur, March 14, 1872—tf.

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Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.

2:25 A. M. ..... 5:40 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

1:18 A. M. ..... 3:10 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.

3:05 A. M. .....
10.17 A. M. ..... 2:25 P. M.

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8:50 A. M. ..... 3:35 P. M.

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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, May 25, 1873, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave Toledo	11 55 a. m
Arrive Decatur	2 05 p. m
Leave Decatur	2 25 p. m
Arrive Quincy	9 25 p. m
" Keokuk	10 15 p. m
" St. Louis	7 00 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave Toledo	11 00 a. m.
Arrive Decatur	3 15 a. m
Leave Decatur	3 25 a. m
Arrive Quincy	10 30 a. m
" Keokuk	12 25 p. m
" St. Louis	7 50 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave St. Louis	7 00 a. m
" Quincy	5 00 a. m
Arrive Decatur	11 25 a. m
Leave Decatur	11 75 a. m
Arrive Toledo	2 25 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave St. Louis	8 30 p. m
" Keokuk	6 27 p. m
" Quincy	7 10 p. m
Arrive Decatur	2 15 a. m
Leave Decatur	2 30 a. m
Arrive Toledo	6 25 p. m

The following freights carry passengers with tickets:

Going east	8 00 p m
Going west	6 45 a m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West	2 35 p. m
" " Accom "	6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East	8 00 a. m
" " Accom "	3 30 p. m

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ON AND AFTER APRIL 7, and until further notice, Trains will run as follows:

EASTWARD.

EXPRESS

No. 1 leaves Decatur ..... 10:00 a. m
Arrives at Paris ..... 2:05 p. m

ACCOMMODATION.

No. 3 leaves Decatur ..... 2:35 p. m.
Arrives at Paris ..... 10:00 p. m.

WESTWARD

EXPRESS.

No 2 leaves Paris ..... 5:10 p. m.
Arrives at Decatur ..... 9:45 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION

No 4 leaves Paris at ..... 9:00 a. m
Arrives at Decatur at ..... 4:25 p. m

MATTOON ACCOMMODATION.

EXPRESS.

Leaves Mattoon at ..... 1:45 p. m.
Arrives at Decatur at ..... 4:25 p. m.

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You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the second day of May, A. D., 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, Matthew Hughes purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The north end, east half, southwest quarter, southeast quarter of section 29, township 16, range 1 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D., 1873.

JOHN N. BILLS, Assignee.
February 6-w3t.

A SENSIBLE HUMORIST.

The Danbury "News" Man Prefers to Stay at Home.

Almost every man who obtains any particular reputation, or who deems himself reasonably clever, is inclined, whether invited or not, to come to the Metropolis, where he may have a larger audience and a truer appreciation. Charles F. Brown, Mortimer Thompson, Bret Harte, D. R. Locke, and others, did or have done this; and several of the newspaper publishers have made an effort to induce Montgomery Bailey, the Danbury *News* humorist, to change his residence from the Still River to the Hudson. Bailey is wise as well as droll, and, therefore declines the invitation, though it is backed by abundant shekels. In a recent letter on this subject, he said; "I like this town, where I have lived most of my life, and the town likes me. My small paper is only a weekly; but I own it, and am content with the little but satisfactory independence that I enjoy. I know I've gotten a good deal of reputation lately; it won't be any less if I stay here; and if I go to New York, I am dreadfully afraid I should soon be an old story, and dwindle down to an imperceptible point. Your big city likes fresh oranges; but it very quickly sucks them dry, and throws them away. I don't want to be sucked dry right off; so I think I'll remain where I am. I've seen from my country home how clever fellows turn out who go to New York with grand expectations. They gave up something, and in the end found nothing. I am glad you want to have me come, and I'm gladder that I don't want to come. Danbury, insignificant village that it is, is good enough for me; and as I dont' want to steal anything, or get murdered, or get up a reputation for genius, I respectfully but firmly decline to pitch my tent in Gotham."

There's no fun in this letter, but there is a deal of common sense, and I give it currency that it may have its influence upon the ten thousand inspired intellects, all over the country, who fancy that the Metropolis needs them, and can't conveniently get along without them.—"*Coltown,*" *in Chicago Tribune.*

THE New-Orleans *Times* is responsible for the following statement:

The most curious instance of resuscitation recorded in our annals happened last Thursday on Prytania street, near Terpsichore. A child of three years old died early in the morning, and was duly laid out for interment; a competent physician certified to the decease, and the friends of the family assembled to solemnize the funeral. Late in the afternoon, the body having been coffined, and the funeral carriages waiting at the door, a thunder-storm arose. It will be remembered that there were some unusually violent reverberations during the brief term of its prevalence. Simultaneously with one of the most deafening of these claps, the child recovered its animation, and resumed all the functions of existence. It is now permanently recovered.

There is no doubt of the facts in this case.

GUSTAVE DORE, the author of more book illustrations than any man living, except George Cruikshank, wants to take a voyage around the world, in a sailing vessel, sketching as he goes.—But he is so horribly the victim of seasickness that he cannot go. He wants to see all that is grand in North America, and would sail for New York tomorrow but for the horrors of the passage. He has grown old in the past three years, and suffers from depression of spirits, which his income of 100,000 francs a year from his sketches does not subdue.

WHEN you wish to clean a lamp chimney, hold a linen cloth against one end of the chimney and place the other end in your mouth; breathe in it until it is covered inside with moisture, push the cloth into the chimney with a smooth, slender stick, and rub it around until the moisture is absorbed; repeat the process and breathe on the outer surface also; rub this with a cloth until dry, and you have a clean, bright chimney. Soft newspaper will take the place of a linen cloth. Do not use cotton cloth on glassware.

THE heaviest brain on record was recently found in the skull of a London bricklayer, who could neither read nor write. Its weight was sixty-seven ounces.

WHEN a woman gets a letter she carries it in her hand, but a couple of pounds of sausage she manages to squeeze in her pocket.

Not one-twentieth of th people who gather about Barnum's talking machine are married men.

THE British Quarterly puts George Eliot, as a novelist, above Sir Walter Scott.

REV. DR. EDWARD EGGLESTON is to write a serial for the Christian Union.

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7.	Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis,	25
8.	Neuralgia, Toothache, Faceache,	25
9.	Headaches, Sick Headache, Vertigo,	25
10.	Dyspepsia, Bilious Stomach,	25
11.	Suppressed, or Painful Periods,	25
12.	Whites, too Profuse Periods,	25
13.	Croup, Cough, Difficult Breathing,	25
14.	Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Eruptions,	25
15.	Rheumatism, Rheumatic Pains,	25
16.	Fever and Ague, Chill Fever, Ague,	50
17.	Piles, blind or bleeding,	50
18.	Ophthalmy, and Sore or Weak Eyes,	50
19.	Catarrh, acute or chronic, Influenza,	50
20.	Whooping-Cough, violent coughs,	50
21.	Asthma, oppressed Breathing,	50
22.	Ear Discharges, impaired hearing,	50
23.	Scrofula, enlarged glands, Swellings,	50
24.	General Debility, Physical Weakness,	50
25.	Dropsy and scanty Secretions,	50
26.	Sea-Sickness, sickness from riding,	50
27.	Kidney-Disease, Gravel,	50
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W. C. JONES,
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☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

A. BROWER BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [feb8'73

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DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. [j11-dawtf

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ATTORNEY at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store, with Eden & Odor. [a22-dly

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I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
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At this grand concert the following cash gifts will be distributed by lot and paid in full to the ticket holders who draw them:

LIST OF GIFTS.

One Grand Cash Gift		$100,000
One Grand Cash Gift		50,000
One Grand Cash Gift		25,000
One Grand Cash Gift		20,000
One Grand Cash Gift		10,000
One Grand Cash Gift		5,000
24 Cash Gifts of	$1,000 each	24,000
50 Cash Gifts of	500 each	25,000
80 Cash Gifts of	400 each	32,000
100 Cash Gifts of	300 each	30,000
186 Cash Gifts of	200 each	37,200
590 Cash Gifts of	100 each	59,000
9,000 Cash Gifts of	10 each	90,000
Total, 10,000 gifts, all cash		$600,000

The money to pay all these gifts in full is now upon deposit in the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank of Louisville, and set aside for that purpose, and can only be used for that purpose, as will be seen by the following certificate of the Cashier:

This is to certify that there is in the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank, to the credit of the Third Grand Gift Concert, for the benefit of the Public Library of Kentucky, five hundred thousand dollars, which has been set apart by the managers to pay the gifts in full, and will be held by the bank and paid out for this purpose, and this purpose only.
R. S. VENIOT, Cashier.

The party, therefore, who holds the ticket drawing the capital gift will get $500,000 in greenbacks; and so of the $50,000 gift, the $25,000, the $20,000, the $10,000, the $5,000, and all the other gifts, 10,000 in number, amounting to $600,000.

The remnant of unsold tickets will be furnished to those who first apply (order accompanied by the money always having preference over agents) at the following prices: Whole tickets, $10; half, $5; quarters, $2.50; 11 whole tickets for $100; 55 for $500; 113 for $1,000; and 575 for $5,000. No discount on less than $100 worth of tickets at a time.

The concert and distribution of gifts will begin at 8 o'clock on Tuesday morning, July 8, in Public Library Hall, and the following will be the order of proceedings: 1st. Music by orchestra' band. 2d. Placing of tags (one for each ticket sold) in large wheel. 3d. Placing of gifts in small wheel. 4th. Music by orchestral band. 5th. Explanatory remarks by President. 6th. Drawing of first half of gifts. 7th. Music by orchestral band. 8th. Drawing of last half of gifts. 9th. Placing of large wheel with tags in hands of committee appointed by audience. 10th. Grand orchestral concert.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Friday Evening, May 30.

THE JUBILEE.

Now that Chicago has been re-built and on a scale more grand and imposing than even the most enthusiastic Chicagoan ever dreamed of, the people of that city have determined to celebrate the event by a monster jubilee, commencing on Thursday, June 5th, and continuing two days, the grand affair to wind up with a ball at the palatial Pacific Hotel. The concert will be given in the depot of the Michigan Southern railroad, which, it is estimated, will accommodate from thirty to forty thousand people, and to insure its success, the services of Peace Jubilee Gilmore have been engaged. The music will be performed by a magnificent orchestra of three hundred picked performers, including Gilmore's own band, the others from eastern cities, with the best Chicago herself can contribute. In addition to this feature, a large vocal chorus of several hundred voices may participate. The firing of cannon by electricity, assisted by tuned locomotives and tug whistles, and other novel features of a similar character will be introduced as a background to the instrumental effect.

All the railroads centering in Chicago will issue excursion tickets, and it is confidently expected that men and women from all the neighboring States will be present in immense numbers Decatur people, whose hearts went out to those of Chicago in the hour of her great tribulation, and who now rejoice with them in the rehabilitation of their wonderful city, ought to be represented. Chicago's glory is the glory of Illinois, and all the people of the State share largely in the pardonable pride indulged by those of our great metropolis. Let us all go up and jubilate with our friends of the rebuilt city.

It is ascertained from those having the best means of information that the action of the civil service advisory board at the present session will encourage the growth, and thus render more efficient the contemplated reform. They believe, after their consultation with the President and members of the Cabinet on Saturday, that the administration is determined to give the support which is needed. It was generally agreed that some modifications are demanded as the results of experience, but while the changes in details will be slight, the main features and scope of the system will not only remain unimpaired, but will be invigorated. The board will, in a few days, complete the work of revision, when the changes will be made. Public assurance is given that they will contain nothing from which the true friends of reform will dissent, while it is believed that the greatest need is a better instructed and more discriminating public opinion upon the subject.

Postmaster Jones, of New York, has issued a circular directory that postal cards, in their treatment as mail matter, be regarded as sealed letters, except that when "undeliverable" they are not to be returned to the writer nor sent to the Dead Letter office, but will be entered on the return book and described by the initials "P. C" He orders that no "return request" written on a postal card shall be regarded. He informs the public that postal cards on which any obscenity appears will not be delivered, and instructs his assistants in accordance with that rule. In concluding his circular the postmaster suggests that postal cards should be exempt from all idle comment on the part of the post office employes, and instructs the clerks and letter-carriers not to make the messages the subject of conversation among themselves or with persons not employed in the office

The judicial contest in this circuit has engendered a degree of bitterness altogether unusual in elections of this character. Happily, however, the canvass has been brief, and it is to be hoped that when it is finally over those who have "been by the ears" will settle down into their normal condition of good will. The question at issue is an important one, to be sure, but it should not estrange friends, nor arouse feelings of animosity that will be difficult to allay. "Let us have peace"—after next Monday.

"Old Probabilities" is arranging for a telegraphic station on the top of Pike's Peak, Colorado This station will be more than a mile and a half higher than Mt. Washington, and will afford unusual facilities for the study of the upper atmospheric currents.

VIENNESE RAPACITY.

The despair of the landlords and the stockholders in the great hotel companies does not excite any commiseration among strangers, it may be imagined, and even the Vienna papers express satisfaction that these harpies have so speedily come to grief. Night before last one hotel had over a hundred vacant rooms and only six guests. Many establishments are making haste to lower their prices, hoping thereby to keep the guests that still remain. A room for which eight guldens a day was asked on the 1st could be had yesterday for two. The comic papers have made the rapacity of the hotel and restaurant proprietors the subject of no end of satire and jest. In one of them there is a caricature in which a waiter in a fashionable hotel presents a guest with his bill. It is about ten feet long, and the total is so enormous that the despairing victim leaps out of the window into the Danube canal at the first sight of it.—Here are the specimens of the squibs that fill the papers on this subject? A foreigner in one of the Exhibition restaurants, after paying three guldens for a glass of beer and a bit of cold meat, calls the waiter back and, in a mysterious tone asks: "Where am I?" "In the Exhibition, to be sure," answers the astonished waiter. "Ay, indeed," says the stranger, with a look of great relief, "I thought I was in the Abruzzi among the brigands!" One friend meets another in the Prater and says: "Have you heard the news?" "No, what is it?" asks the other "A regiment of infantry is to be stationed in the exhibition grounds." "Pray, what for?" inquires No. 2. "There are so many robberies committed in the restaurants that the police require assistance," replies No. 1.—*Vienna Allgemeine Zeitung (10th) cor. N. Y. Tribune.*

Some of the Health officials of New York are apprehensive that with the coming of hot weather to that city will also come pestilence,—that cholera will result from the offal and festering refuse in the streets of the more densely populated and neglected localities. In this connection we suggest that unless great care is exercised, similar apprehensions may be entertained, and not without reason, with reference to other and smaller places than New York. There are localities even in Decatur, the condition of which, if not improved before the coming of hot weather, is such that a pestilence would almost certainly follow. A hot summer is expected. Let every precaution be taken to guard against the suffering and the deaths that such a season will almost certainly bring upon us if the duty is neglected. It is not the prominent streets alone that should be kept clean. Diseases do not often breed in these. The narrow streets and narrower alleys, away from the business centre of the city, and away also from the more aristocratic private residence neighborhoods, are the hot-beds of cholera, of fevers, of all the worst enemies of human health. To these localities our health officers should direct their attention. The cause of disease may be confined within narrow bounds, but disease itself is not so easily controlled. It breaks over bounds.

The opponents of Judge Lawrence seem to have about given up the contest. The Galesburg *Free Press*, though agreeing politically with A. M. Craig, the so called "farmers' candidate," says

"The contest for Supreme Court Judge places the farmers of the district, seemingly, in a wrong position. Though a body of men, styling themselves farmers, in convention put in nomination a candidate for Supreme Court Judge, it is now evident that a very large per cent. of the farmers of the district do not feel bound by the action, therefore the election of Judge Lawrence cannot be claimed as a defeat of the farmer interest. We believe that many farmers are deceived as to Judge Lawrence's position toward them and their cause. We are confident that no man in the State can be found who would give them a fairer hearing or a truer solution of their complaints.—Judge Lawrence has always, and we believe will continue to be, an impartial Judge; and that the cause of the people is safe in his hands."

It is stated by the Secretary of the National Agricultural Congress, in session at Indianapolis, that there are now 10,000 farmers' associations in the country. He assumes an average membership of 40, which gives those societies 400,000 members in all. The Congress attended by about 150 delegates, representing ninety Farmers' Clubs, State Granges, and Agricultural Colleges. Resolutions have been introduced for the abolition of the National Eight-Hour law, on account of its disturbing influence in private business and indorsing the Morrill Land Grant bill for the benefit of Agricultural Colleges.

Several railroads of this State, among them the Chicago, Alton and St. Louis and the Chicago and Northwestern roads, have assured the Railroad Commissioners of their intention of obeying the new railroad law, and have asked for a conference, in order that they may learn what is expected of them by the Commissioners.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

The Agricultural Congress at Indianapolis.

Horrible Scene at an Execution in North Carolina.

ANOTHER VERDICT IN FAVOR OF TRAIN'S SANITY.

SPORTING NEWS FROM NEW YORK.

Mysterious Murder in Cleveland.

Bold Burglary in Newark, N. J.

Wilmington, N. C., May 24.—Levi Souls was hanged yesterday in Marion Court House. His death was one of the most horrible ever produced by this means of exception, and almost 1,500 people were present to witness it. In February last, Souls, while drunk, murdered Noah Sutton on a flat boat on the Pee Dee river, by shooting him with a pistol. He was at once arrested, tried, and sentenced to be hanged on the 17th of this month, but was afterwards reprieved until the 23d As he appeared at the gallows he was thin, and worn, but resolute. He was a man of low intellect, and had passed a part of his previous life in prison. On the scaffold he expressed repentance and a hope of salvation, admonishing the spectators to forsake the evil ways and avoid strong drink. At a quarter past 4 the drop fell, and a most distressing scene ensued, for Souls' neck was not broken by the fall, and he died slowly by strangulation, his body swinging to and fro in his agony, while for six minutes he breathed loud and hoarsely like one in apoplexy. The sight and sound were so horrible that many of the spectators came near fainting It was eleven minutes before the man was dead.

Indianapolis, May 29.—The session of the National Agricultural Congress, to-day, was very spirited, the subject of cheap transportation being up. Resolutions were passed deprecating the efforts of all organizations to unsettle the value of labor or to decrease the hours of work; also condemning the eight hour law. The Committee on Cheap Transportation made a lengthy and very able report, which was made the order for 4 o'clock to-day It declares the present transportation routes insufficient, and favors the opening of new thoroughfares. It declares the present rates of railroads and elevators exorbitant and extortionate, favors narrow-gauge roads; calls upon the Government to regulate the prices of transportation and enforce fair dealings, and denounces the railroads for discriminating against way stations. There is considerable feeling against the Congress by mechanics, who look upon it as directly opposed to their interests.

New York, May 29—The horse disease, which visited this city last fall, has reappeared at the stables of the Coney Island Car Line, in Brooklyn. Seventy horses are now sick, and there has been two fatal cases

The Tribune advises that $15,000 or $20,000 be collected in this city, to assist in placing beyond a possibility of want the widow of Gen. Canby, who died penniless.

Startle was driven to wagon on the Fleetwood course, yesterday, and made the first quarter in 34½ seconds and the second quarter in 33½, making the half mile in 1 minute 7½ seconds, the best half mile ever trotted to road wagon by any horse except Dexter

Mrs. Mary Louisa Neilson, daughter of the late James Brooks, died in this city yesterday.

George H. Pendleton arrived to-day from Europe.

Cleveland, O, May 29.—The body of a young woman who had been employed as a servant in the family of Mr. C. H. Denser, was found this morning in a vacant lot corner of Euclid avenue and Kennard street. The girl had evidently been strangled to death, as a piece of brown silk, twisted with a piece of white cotton cloth, was found tied tightly around her neck.—Parties living in the neighborhood of the scene of the murder, testified before the Coroner's jury, this morning, that last night, about 9 o'clock, they heard a scream and saw a man running from the lot where the body was found. Deceased came to this city some time ago from Cincinnati She was called "Susie," her full name being unknown. The Coroner rendered a verdict that she came to her death by the hands of some person or persons unknown

SECOND DISPATCH.

Cleveland, May 29 —The name of the woman murdered here last night is Susannah Regina Greener. She was 39 years of age. She came here about two weeks ago from Cincinnati, where she had friends living A man named James Bounes was arrested to-day on suspicion of being her murderer.

Joliet, May 29.—Col. J. W. Smith the new Warden of the Penitentiary, is having a very thorough invoice and appraisement made of the property of that institution. The valuation falls far below that of the late management. Members of the new Board of Commissioners are in frequent attendance at the prison, and have got matters well in hand.

The new Board of State Canal Commissioners will continue to have their headquarters at Lockport, and will retain Mr. Thomas, the present Superintendent, and Mr. Milne, the present Secretary, and other appointees of the old Board. The reappointment of Mr. Utley, the energetic and gentlemanly President of the old Board, gives great satisfaction to people hereabouts, and the two new Commissioners are well spoken of by those who know them.

St. Louis, May 29—The ninety-fourth anniversary of the birth of Tom Moore, the great Irish poet, was celebrated here last night, with a grand entertainment in the Merchants' Library Hall.

A party of the Directors of the Indiana and Illinois Central Railroad arrived here by the Toledo, and Wabash and Western line this morning, having passed over their own complete line from the Wabash to Decatur. They express themselves highly pleased with the substantial quality of the road, richness of the country through which it runs, and the promising prospects of business. The party will leave for New York this evening by the Vandalia line and Cincinnati.

San Francisco, May 28.—Colonel Perry, with troops F and H, 1st Cavalry, will start to-day from Fairchild's for the Pitt River country to intercept Captain Jack, if possible, and also to learn the temper of the Pitt River Indians Twenty Warm Spring Indians will go with Perry.

On the 27th one Modoc warrior, four children and one squaw surrendered.

San Francisco, May 29.—No news from the Modoc scout sent after Captain Jack.

Washington, May 28 —Attorney General Williams has given no opinion whatever to Congressman Wilson, of Oregon, or to any other person, favorable to tranferring the Modocs who have surrendered, or who may be captured, to the authorities of that State to be tried for murder. The treatment of these savages is with the military authorities, and no qestion has yet been presented concerning them.

Peoria, May 29.—Decoration day will be appropriately observed here. Exercises will be held both at the monument in the public square and at Springdale Cemetery.

Hon. W W O'Brien is out in this morning's *Transcript* with a letter supporting Judge Lawrence for re-election.

Quincy, Ill., May 28.—A meeting of prominent business men was held at the rooms of the Citizens' Association this evening, to make arrangements for a reception to be tendered to the Illinois Editorial Association, which meets here on the 11th of June. The proper committees were chosen and arrangements inaugurated to make the reception worthy the city. The proprietors of the Opera House have tendered the use of the building for the use of the convention. A grand banquet, opera, excursion on the river, etc., is on the programme, and a good time may be expected.

New York, May 29.—The sheriff's jury has decided George Francis Train sane, and he will be released from custody to-morrow.

Detroit, Mich., May 29.—The boiler in Stevens' shingle mill, at East Saginaw, Mich., exploded this morning. One man was killed, and four or five were fatally injured. The mill was totally demolished.

Newark, N. J., May 29.—A daring burglary was perpetrated night before last at Linden, N. J. Yesterday morning Postmaster Starke, on entering the Postoffice found it all in confusion, the safe blown open and the mail matter of the establishment gone. On Tuesday he received two heavy mails from Philadelphia and New York. The letters were opened and several money letters, containing over nine hundred dollars, were placed in the safe. Active efforts to discover the burglars are being made.

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WANTED—By 10th of June, dwelling house of 6 rooms, near high school, with or without furniture. Apply at CENTRAL IRON WORKS. m20-d1w]

WANTED—A situation as book-keeper or clerk in store; the first preferred. For information apply to Wm. Young, No 6 North Water street. [may9-d1m.

WANTED—Two reliable men, not to solicit Life Insurance, but to present to the citizens of Macon county the objects of "Deposit Insurance." Call at Charter Oak Life Agency. Office with Wood & Montgomery. [may16-d3t.

New Advertisements.

PARIS AND DECATUR RAILROAD.

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ON AND AFTER MAY 25, 1873, the Day Express will leave Decatur at 10 00 a. m. running through to Indianapolis without change of cars, arriving at the latter city at 6 40 p. m., making direct and close connection with trains for

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Will leave on each Express train. These Coaches being the finest in the West, offer unequalled inducements to passengers going East or South.

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Stopping at all way stations, leave Decatur at 2:35 p. m., Day Express for Mattoon and intermediate stations, at 7:50 a. m.; Accommodation at 2:35 p. m., connecting at Mattoon with the I. & St. L. R. R., for all points East and West, and with the Ills. Cent. for points South.

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Trains arrive from the East as follows:—Accommodation from Mattoon, at 9:25 a. m.; Accommodation from Paris, and Express from Mattoon, at 1:25 p m.; Day Express, at 9 15 p. m. All trains start from and arrive at I. C. Depot, and stop going either way at our Depot on Main street.

F. C. STRATTON, Gen'l Freight Ag't. G. C. MAC. Gen'l Sup't.
CHILLION JONES, Gen'l Pass. Ag't.
May 29th, 1873.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Geo. T. Shartel, deceased, late of Macon County, Illinois, will offer at public sale, at the office formerly occupied by said deceased, over Linn & Scruggs store, on

Saturday, the 14th day of June

Next, the entire stock of Dental Tools, Fixtures, Stock, Furniture, &c., consisting of two stoves and pipe, 1 washstand, 3 mirrors, 14 pictures, 1 gasometer and fixtures, 61 dental journals, 11 cane seat chairs, 2 office chairs, 1 lounge, 1 settee, 3 stands, 1 instrument case, 67 lbs. feathers, floor oil cloth, 28 impression cups, 2 vulcanizers, 1 dental sample case, 10 set rubber teeth, 3 set gold plate teeth, 55 set block teeth, 1400 single teeth, 3 lathes, 17 pair forceps, 8 pair ex. forceps, 4 pair pliers, 113 dentil excavators, 16 Scalers, 13 Burnishers, 11 nerve instruments, 30 plug points and table, 113 pluggers, gold foil and gold plate, crystal gold, silver watch and chain, and sundry other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH.

A. A. MURRAY, Executor.

Decatur, May 22, 1873-d&wtd.

ELECTION NOTICE!

Office of the Board of Education, Decatur, Ill., May 20, 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held at the Court-house in Decatur, on the first Tuesday in June next, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education to serve for the term of three years, and one member to serve for the term of two years, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of James G. Roach. Said election will be opened at 3 o'clock, p. m., and closed at 6 o'clock, p. m.

WM. L. HAMMER, President.
E.A. Gastman, Clerk. [m21-d4d.

A. L. BROCKWAY
PAPER HANGER
and CALSOMINER,

WILL attend to hanging Window Shades and putting down carpets, and all other jobs in his line, at short notice. ORDERS left at Abel & Locke's carpet store will receive prompt attention.

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May 21—d 3mos

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the last will and testament of George T. Shartel, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 21st day of July, A. D., 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

A. A. MURRAY, Executor

May 22, 1873—w6w.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of Seth W. Brock, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 16th day of June, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

MARY ANN BROCK, Administratrix.

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Decatur, April 11, 1873—dawly.

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Decatur, May 6-d6m.

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THE UNDERSIGNED beg leave to call the attention of the trade, the medical profession, invalids, and the public generally to their assortment of pure wines, including

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Liberal discount to the trade.

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CITY TAX NOTICE!

THE LEGISLATURE having legalized all informalities in the city assessment for 1872, and prior years, public notice is hereby given to all tax-payers who are in arrears wishing to save cost, that payment must be made without further delay, as I shall commence to collect by levy on the 20th inst., without respect of persons.

B. H. BROWN, City Collector.

May 10, 1873—d10t.

The Chemistry of Divine Providence has never produced a mineral water which combines in such perfection the qualities of anti-bilious tonic and cathartic medicine, as the Hunyadi Janos; and Tarrant's effervescent Seltzer Aperient is the artificial equivalent of that great natural remedy.

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No mixing, compounding, c or rectifying; but all goods in orig age, with two cent stamp, as the of Distillery Bonded Warehouse Wholesale orders filled (in bon paid).

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With the exception of the California Hock these wines are of our own manufacture, and are warranted free from adulterations of any kind. Wine furnished at from

$1,35 to $1,75 PER GALLON,

Or in bottles if desired.

☞ Liberal discount to the trade.

Harpstrite & Shlaudeman

Decatur, May 19, 1873—d6m.

CITY TAX NOTICE!

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THE LEGISLATURE having legalized all informalities in the city assessment for 1872, and prior years, public notice is hereby given to all tax-payers who are in arrears, wishing to save cost, that payment must be made without further delay, as I shall commence to collect by levy on the 20th inst., without respect of persons.

H. H. BROWN, City Collector.

May 10, 1873—d10t.

The Chemistry of Divine Providence has never produced a mineral water which combines in such perfection the qualities of anti-bilious tonic and cathartic medicine, as that of the Seltzer Spa; and Tarrant's effervescent Seltzer Aperient is the artificial equivalent of that great natural remedy.

DRY GOODS.

BIGGEST STOCK

—OF—

Spring Goods!

YOU EVER SAW,

AT

Hays & Bruce's.

March 27, 1873—d-tf.

S. Einstein's

NEW DRY GOODS HOUSE,

No. 21 North Water St.,

—IS—

THE CHEAPEST PLACE

TO BUY

Dry Goods, Notions AND Fancy Goods.

Give Him a Trial!

Decatur, May 3, 1873-d1f.

To Fruit Raisers.

—o—

THE ROLLING MILL COMPANY of this city have on hand a large quantity of

IRON SCALE,

Which they will sell at

$5 PER WAGON LOAD.

The most eminent fruit growers in the United States have recommended the application of Iron Scale to the roots of young fruit trees. Apply at the

Rolling Mill Office.

April 21-daw,2w.

Money to Loan!

On Long Time.

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APPLY TO

JESSE LEFORGEE!

OVER ARMSTRONG & BROWN'S DRUG STORE, in office with S. G. Malone.

April 29—d1m.

ESTABLISHED 1842.

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S. S. Clarke's Copper Distillery.

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C. W. S.

Mellwood Whisky!

—o—

OLDSTYLE, HAND-MADE SOUR MASH—the favorite of all Whisky.

None Better in the World!

☞ No mixing, compounding, equalizing, or rectifying; but all goods in original packages, with two cent stamp, as they come out of Distillery Bonded Warehouse.

Wholesale orders filled (in bond or duly paid).

☞ Orders intrusted to me shall have my best attention. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

B. B. RICHARDS,

Wholesale Agent for the Northwest,

P. O. Box, 95, DECATUR, ILL.

S. S. CLARK, Louisville, Ky., 40 W. Main st.

—o—

HACKETT & KEEFE,

No. 40 East Main street, keep a full supply of S. S. Clarke's celebrated Sour Mash Bourbon Whisky, and sell it pure as when received.

B. B. RICHARDS.

April 10, 1873—dtf.

ALF. BAILEY!

HAS GONE INTO BUSINESS AGAIN, and has opened a

Bakery AND Restaurant

—At—

No. 11 South Main St.,

(B. B. Richard's old stand),

One door south of B. N. Adams' grocery store, where he will keep constantly on hand Bread, Cakes, Pies &c.

His success in the past, in catering for the tastes of the public, is sufficient guaranty of a like success in the future.

Weddings and Parties

Furnished with Pastry, Ice Cream, &c., at short notice. Satisfaction warranted.

May 1-d1w

PEOPLE'S MEDICAL GAZETTE.

ABOUT the first of June we will issue the first number of the PEOPLE'S MEDICAL GAZETTE, a monthly journal, intended for general circulation. It will be filled with short articles, plainly written, on Hygiene; appropriate treatment for diseases and accidents when a doctor cannot be conveniently had—and matters of scientific interest connected with medicine.

It will afford a medium of communication between physicians who wish to bring their cases and mode of treatment directly before the people, and the intelligent reader, who is anxious to inform himself of the means of *prevention* and *cure* of the ailments for which he is in the habit of soliciting professional aid. The ground is tabooed, but no organization can now set metes and bounds to knowledge. People will read and investigate, and the regular physician cannot command greater confidence than the irregular, so long as people are not apprised of his merits. If he has not merit he has no cause to complain of want of patronage; if he has, and with pharisaical pride clothes himself in assumed dignity and in unmeaning technicalities, he ought not to be employed.—The utmost reticence does not proclaim the scientific man, nor does advertising proclaim the quack; Quackery consists in a discrepancy between the promise and the ability to perform—a want of correspondence between the physician and his pretensions.

The first number will be a duodecimo, containing about twenty pages of reading matter. Subsequent numbers will be much larger.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE, $1.50—invariably in advance.

ADVERTISEMENTS are solicited from physicians who desire extra copies for local circulation, and from business men generally.

We will print 3,000 copies of the first number for general distribution.

Remittances and communications must be sent to

DRS. CHENOWETH & WALSTON,

Central Surgical Institute,

aprl8-d&w1w] Decatur, Ill.

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IF YOU WANT THE

Best Bread in Town,
Fresh Pies and Cakes,
Confectionery, Fruits, Nuts,
Oysters in Every Style,

or by the can—in short, anything in the provision line, give me a call.

South Main Street,

two doors north of Imboden's Meat Market

B. F. STEPHENS.

January 6 1873-dtf.

MI LINERY

—o—

Mrs. R. C. Hamsher

HAS JUST RECEIVED a well-selected assortment of SPRING and SUMMER

MILLINERY GOODS!

And is in constant receipt of all the latest novelties in

STRAW GOODS,

Feathers, Flowers, Collarettes, &c.

☞ SUMMER BONNETS in a variety of colors.

CHILDREN'S HATS made a specialty.

MRS. R. C. HAMSHER.

One door North of Warren & Durfee's.

Decatur, May 1, 1873—d&wtf

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Friday Evening, May 30.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

☞ Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

☞ We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Official City and County Paper.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...In demand—overcoats and stoves.

...At a discount—Ice cream and soda water this morning.

...Colorado potato bugs are thick about town. This is a sign of a season of great activity among the farmers.

...During the present delightful evenings lovers have a happy time communing over front gates and fighting mosquitoes.

...There is a very great change in the weather since yesterday. Early this morning overcoats would have been comfortable.

...If Cuba is not captured by the Spaniards in another year, they propose to blow the little island out of the water with nitro-glycerine.

...We were sorry to learn last evening that Mr. Mason, who was hurt by falling between cars on Wednesday, was not as well as in the morning.

...The feeling of sadness among the people is daily increasing that O'Kelly and Captain Jack are not among the names of the distinguished dead of the year.

...A man who fell into a well fifty feet deep, said he would have enjoyed the trip better if his descent had been more gradual, so that he could inspect the masonry as he went along.

...A Chicago lady, with much wealth but few brains, wrote to a dealer East to send her a couple of fanning mills by mail, as she had become tired of pushing wind by hand in hot weather.

...Edsall Anderson, a man who was run over on the Northwestern Railway five days ago, and received fatal injuries, died Wednesday afternoon at his residence, No. 136½ Jefferson street, Chicago.

...The festival at the lecture rooms of the First M. E. Church last night was a very enjoyable affair. The attendance was fair, though not as large as it would have been had there not been other entertainments in the city.

...Mr. Sauter, in the employ of Hays & Bruce, returned to his post this morning, after two weeks absence on account of sickness. He is still looking rather pale, we think a free use of beef steak and other commodities of that kind will put a new complexion on affairs.

...Mr. Thomas Handy, who has been ailing for some time time, though not considered at all in a critical condition, died suddenly this morning. Mr. Handy was a highly respected citizen, and his sudden death will occasion sincere regret.

...A young gent in this city who puts on considerable style, has a horse which he values at $900. He is correct. As he owns the horse he has a right to value it at what he pleases. It is nobody else's business.

...A Kentucky man has the following notice posted on his premises: "Nottis—Know kow is alloud inthese medders any men or women lettin ther kows run the rode wot gits inter my medders aforesaid shall have his tall cut short orf by me. Obadia Rogers."

...Maj. Henry Hummell still limpeth.—His anxiety to get about has led him to tax his lame foot a little too heavily, and for a day or two it has been rather worse. Be careful, Major, or you will get an all summer job on hand.

...Almost every town in the West is claiming to have been visited by the fleeing Bender family of murderers. So far as we know, none of the fiends have as yet come this way. There are plenty of "benders" Grecian and otherwise, but they do not appear to be very dangerous.

...One hundred and fifty car loads of rails for the Peoria, Atlanta & Decatur Railroad, with spikes for laying the same, have been unloaded here. This material will soon be called into use, as work on the road is to be pushed forward vigorously. The grading and bridging is all done between Peoria and Atlanta.

...Hail is the new local on the Decatur Daily REPUBLICAN. We hope he won't haul in so many of our paragraphs without credit, as did the old local—who, we suspect, has been sent to the penitentiary as a thief.—*Mattoon Journal.*

We haven't "hauled in" anything from the *Journal* yet, neighbor. When we do, go for us big.

...Drinkers and vendors of champagne may be interested to know that the frost which scourged all the vineyards in France during the nights of the 24th, 25th and 26th of April, when also snow and hail fell at intervals, and often in abundance, has proved most fatal. The vintage will be an almost total failure.

...The adage, "There are none so blind as those who wont see," found an illustration in a court of justice in New Hampshire. A witness who wanted to avoid telling what he knew about a certain case, claimed that he was too short sighted to see over the distance at which the event occured from him. "Well," said the lawyer that was cross examining him, "how far can you see?" "Well," said the witness, (at the same time casting his eye toward a window through which he could see a cow grazing about a hundred yards away,) "I can't begin to see that white cow yonder."

The Baptist Concert at Brenneman's new hall, last night, was very well attended, every seat in the large room being occupied and many of the later comers being compelled to stand during the whole evening. Before the opening of the concert Mr. Wessels announced a change in the programme, necessitated by the sudden illness of Mr. Griswold. Mr. Bunn, however, had kindly consented to take the place of the former, and the order of exercises was proceeded with. The trio from *Attila*, which was the first piece on the programme, was really one of the gems of the evening, and, considering that Mr. Bunn had only rehearsed it once, was well rendered. This was followed by a duett, "Our Way Across the Sea," by Mrs. Johns and Mr. Mosser. The former acquitted herself well, but modesty blunts our pencil as to the latter. The solo of Mrs. Harris', "Vol Que Sapete," was well sung, even for that lady, and everybody who has heard her will admit that this is as strong an expression of praise as we can well make use of, for her singing is not often excelled any where, even by professionals. The piano duett by Mrs. Ewing and Mrs. Johns was executed with spirit and taste, and was well received. Col. Harris next sang a bass solo with fine effect, and to the great delight of the audience. Mrs. Johns' solo, "The Night is Fine," was rendered in good style, and called forth hearty applause from the audience. In response to an *encore* Mrs. Johns sang the charming Irish ballad, "Kitty Tyrrel," which was also well received. The quartette of male voices, "Sleep On," was not up the highest standard of excellence, and it is but simple justice to state that the piece never had a single rehearsal. A quartette of mixed voices, "Good Night," closed the programme.

But we must not forget to mention the tableau (which was put upon the stage between the first and second parts of the programme) representing the captive Hebrews sitting "By the Rivers of Babylon." The representation, judging by the applause, was satisfactory to the audience.

At the close of the concert the audience made a grand assault on the ice cream and strawberry tables, and we are of the opinion that this part of the evening's entertainment was enjoyed equally as well as the more formal "first part."

Real Estate Transfers.—The following transfers of real estate have been filed for record in the Macon county Recorder's office, since our last report:

S Walt and R J Oglesby to Minor Brook; Lot 5, block 2, Carver's Addition to Decatur; warranty deed, dated Sept. 23, 1870—$150.

Samuel J Peake and wife to Alexander T Hill; Lot 5, block 19, Carver's Addition to Decatur; warranty deed, dated May 27, 1870—$350.

Anna C and Chas N Killey to David R McNeil; Lot 12, block 1, Renshaw's Addition to Decatur; warranty deed, dated May 28, 1873—$105.

Sheridan Wait to Henry W Waggoner; Lots 3 and 4, block 3, Lake & Co.'s Addition to Decatur; warranty deed, dated May 28, 1873—$800.

...Aaron Hall and wife to Wm B Stinger; sw qr nw qr and nw qr sw qr sec 18, town 12 range 1 east; warranty deed, dated May 2, 1873—$2,600.

S M Hendricks to John W Haworth; ne qr sw qr se qr sec 33, town 17, range 3 east; warranty dated, dated May 16, 1873—$200.

Eleanor Pitner to William B and Mary Newell; Lot 6, Wykoff's Addition to Decatur; warranty deed, dated May 20, 1873—$650.

Off for Washington Territory.—Dr. Blalock and his party, who were to have started on their westward journey several days ago, passed through town this morning and will camp at Steven's Creek to-night. They have a fine outfit, their wagons, some of which are spring, being covered with heavy oil cloth.

...Don't forget the union prayer meeting to-night at the lecture room of the First M. E. Church. Let these meetings be made a power for good, as they certainly may be if faithfully sustained by the religious people of the city. If members of the churches are there, and show an earnest spirit in the matter, there will be no trouble about others attending.

...According to a regulation of the Post Office Department, letters addressed to initials, though the street and number are given, are not to be delivered by carriers, but must be called for at the general delivery. The same rule is in force in relation to postal cards.

...The post office will be closed this afternoon from 2 to 5 P. M.

...The weather remains cloudy and cool but without rain, making it very comfortable for those who are to participate in the decoration exercises.

...There will be a fine display at the decoration exercises to-day: firemen in uniform, Knights of Pythias and Odd Fellows in Regalia, and also Turners in holiday attire.

...We are in receipt of a number of newspapers, magazines and pamphlets from John Davis, of Junction City, Kansas, formerly one of our best citizens. Mr. Davis, though he has been a citizen of Kansas less than a year, has already assumed a prominent position in his new home. We are glad to hear from him, and trust that he will send us some more documents.

At Cash to Close Business.—Having determined to close our present business, we offer our entire stock of Carpets, Wall Paper, Curtains, &c., *at cost*, for Cash. Our stock is new and desirable. This is the best opportunity ever offered to obtain goods at cost. We mean all we say—the stock must be closed out in the next sixty days. Come early and make selections.

WM. J. QUINLAN & BRO.

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A FEW LINES.

DECATUR, ILL., May 29, 1873.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I read an account in your issue of to-day of an accident which happened to Mr. H. H. Mason, the gentlemanly conductor of the Paris Railroad, which is all correct. But my object in writing these few lines is to let you know that I am opposed to having my name appear in the newspapers connecting me with any operation whatever.

Believing you intended no injustice whatever, I remain your friend in the hope that Judge Gallagher will be our next Circuit Judge.

G. WASHINGTON MCMILLIN.

Boarders.—A few day boarders can be accommodated at the northwest corner of Prairie and Church streets.

May 28-1w MRS. H. B. HALSTED.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

PRIEST'S HOTEL.

H R Page, Cincinnati; C H Giers, Sandoval; N O Hamlin, Toledo; W S Wallace, city; John King, Alton; H W Hill, county; F Ford and wife, St Louis; Jas R Ricks and Wife, Taylorville; W R Binkley and wife, Boody; J F Holding, county; I Bodman, Buffalo, N Y; W S Brown, do; A R Walters, Fort Wayne; G Parmlee, Chicago; F J Hepling, Pana; C R Capps, Mt Pulaski; J W Reavis, Oakley; Henry Lyons, county; J A Brewster, Penn; J S Swalty, N Y; C E Townley, Cincinnati; O H Judd, St Louis; M Jacobs, Blue Mound; W Graham and wife, Three Rivers, Mich; Geo W Hill, N Y; J W Ruland do; Wm Strong, St Louis; T J Boardman, Chicago.

ST. NICHOLAS.

J M Travis, Buffalo; Otto Curtis, city; E O Bessie, Ottawa, Ill; W T Beckett, Blue Mound; C R Beckett, do; L B Henderson, Paris, Ill; J H Corwin, Kansas City; J Miller and lady, do; G H Garver, Rochester, N Y; W M Bushnell, Peoria; J A Kay, Boston; Sam T Bleyer, St Louis; T A Nelson, N Y; Ben Wise, Cincinnati; E F Rush, Griggsville; D R Almond, Cincinnati, O; P Foley, Assumption; F H Smith and ladies, Bement; C A Sweet, Illiopolis; J Howenstine, Canton; D B Marsh, do; W T Coakley, Philadelphia; Holmes Cloyd, city; W D Wald, Dayton, O; J Griffin, do; J H Mountaine, Chicago; C Goodback, Clinton; S M Wilson, Laurenceburg; H C Philbrook, Bement; Frank Moore, city; M R Shroeder, Harristown; B U McGuire, Bement; S E Mossman, Philadelphia.

PRESIDENT GRANT is said to sustain Col. MacKenzie unreservedly in carrying his pursuit of the Kickapoo marauders across the line and giving their defeat the finishing touch on Mexican soil, and to have determined to treat Mexico as an accessory if she makes any protests.

SPURGEON writes to a lecture-broker of Wisconsin who offered him $900 a night to lecture for one hundred nights in this country, that his only ambition was to preach Jesus Christ simply, and without attempt at eloquence. He declines to come, but invokes a blessing upon our prosperity.

AN individual living near Royal Oak called on the Detroit Chief of Police last week to ascertain if Detroit was going to celebrate the Fourth of July. He was very anxious to find out, because, as he explained, "if you are going to sling powder and have a whooping old Fourth of July, I want to get a red woolen shirt and a new pair of boots, and come in with Sarah."

☞ NERVOUS DEBILITY. ☜

A depressed, irritable state of mind; a weak, nervous, exhausted feeling; no energy or animation; confused head, weak memory, often with debilitating, involuntary discharges. The consequence of excesses, mental overwork or indiscretions. This NERVOUS DEBILITY finds a sovereign cure in HUMPHREYS' HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFIC, No. 28. It tones up the system, arrests discharges, dispels the mental gloom and despondency, and rejuvenates the entire system. It is perfectly harmless and always efficient. Price $1, for a package of five boxes and a large $2 vial of powder, which is important in old, serious cases; or $1 per single box. Sold by ALL Druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price. Address HUMPHREYS' SPECIFIC HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINE CO., No. 562 BROADWAY, N. Y.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, May 28, 1873.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1.30@1.40
" White "	1.30@1.50
FLOUR—white wheat, ⅌ hundred	5.00
" red " "	4.50
" superfine, " "	4.25
" middlings,	3.50
CORN MEAL—⅌ bushel	.60
RYE—⅌ bushel	.50
CORN—⅌ bushel	.25
" shelled, per bush	.25
HAY—Timothy, ⅌ ton,	8.00@10.00
OATS—⅌ bushel,	.21@.23
FLAXSEED—⅌ bushel	1.85
TIMOTHY SEED—⅌ bushel	3.50
CLOVER SEED— "	6.00@7.00
HUNGARIAN	1.50
BEANS—⅌ bushel	2.75
BUTTER—⅌ ℔	.20
EGGS—per doz,	.10
LARD—⅌ ℔	.06½
BACON—Sides,	.8.
HAMS—sugar-cured,	.15
SHOULDERS—per ℔	.07
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	4.25
CATTLE— " "	3.50@6.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	6.00
" " " " sheared	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—per bu	.40
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	.07
APPLES— " "	.4@5
" Green ⅌ bus	.45@60
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	.25@27
" " coarse & long	.27@30
" " combing	.30@35
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	.36@42
" " coarse & long	.38@40
" " combing	.45@00
" Tubwashed	.45@46
" " and picked	.47@50
HIDES—Green, ⅌ ℔	.01@.07
" Salted cured,	.08@.09
" Calf,	.10@11
" Dry salt,	.12
" Dry Flint	.16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	120@140
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ⅌ ℔	.50@.60
" Common, ⅌ ℔	.25@.40

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April 8, 1873-dawtf. LINN & SCRUGGS.

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☞ And every article usually found in a Book Store. ☜

May 28, 1873—daw-tf.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

Macon county Court, May term, 1873.

Reuben H. Meriweather, Executor of the will of Willis Martin, dec'd, vs. Mary Smith, Susan Shaffer, I. N. Martin, Elizabeth Whitney, George Martin, Albert Platner, Henry Platner, Katherine Platner, Margaret Platner, Adin Platner, John Platner, Rilla Platner, Ellen O'Brian and John O'Brian,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed a petition in said Court to sell lot 6, block 2 of Martin Forstmeyer's addition to the city of Decatur, to pay the debts of the estate of said Willis Martin, deceased.

Now, therefore, you, the said defendants, are required to appear before said Court, to be held at the Court-house in Decatur, on the 19th day of May of said year, and plead, answer, or demur, or the said petition will be taken as true, and a decree entered accordingly. HENRY W. WAGGONER, Clerk of said Court.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
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P. S.—All kinds of repairing in my line will be promptly attended to.

April 26—d&wtf.

NEW STEAM ENGINE FOR SALE.

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M. FORSTMEYER, Mayor.

April 24—d&w-tf.

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Decatur, March 13, 1873—w-tf.

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On account of the death of my wife I offer my property

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On reasonable terms.

Good house with 7 rooms, 2 cellars, 3 cisterns 3 wells, water from the city water works, stable, 4 hot houses, with flues, 100 hot beds, &c., all in good order. This is a good chance for a practical gardener. Apply soon.

aprl8-d6w] GEORGE STEINEN.

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Decatur, April 21 1873.

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